

August 1st, 1879.

Mr. Editor:—I have read with considerable interest Mr. Seery's communication on the mineral resources of the upper portion of Union County; but I was surprised to find a man who quoted Tuomey, spell Nuckolls with a K. It is gratifying to know that there are some gentlemen who have the means, or the nerve, to invest in any enterprise which will tend toward the development of a country's resources; and whatever may be one's opinion about the profitability of mining, every step toward unmasking the hidden wealth of a country is in the right direction. Every enterprise which attracts public attention has a tendency to induce immigration from abroad, to introduce capital, and to give employment to the needy, which is the highway to prosperity. If I am not mistaken, Mr. Lieber is far more explicit than Tuomey on the wealth of the mineral resources in the neighborhood Mr. Seery speaks of. Lieber was an accomplished mineralogist and went "con amore" into the details of his work. He was a correspondent of the most distinguished mineralogists in this country and Europe, which gave him great facilities. Lieber was sanguine in the opinion that taking some point near Limestone Springs and describing a circle ten miles in diameter you would include the richest mineral region of the State. Gold, silver, lead and the matrix of the Diamond, are all known to exist in this area, and Lieber felt as certain, in his own mind, of his opinion as did the old Monk when he assured his poor flock that the day was not distant when they would all feel thankful blessings they dreamed not of, which were now hidden under their feet.

It is gratifying to see a growing disposition on the part of your patrons throughout the County to contribute to your columns and keep you posted upon the condition of the County.—There is not a neighborhood in the County wherein some one may not be found who can interest your readers on some subject, and every one who attempts it, in ever so small a way, will be surprised by his own improvement as well as the interest he begins to feel in his County's prosperity. No one can read of successful school examinations, Sunday School Exhibitions, the building of new churches and new school houses, without feeling that the moral tone of the County is being elevated. While no one can read of the introduction of a new machine, an improved agricultural implement, or the development of some new industry, without a hope of returning prosperity.

No man can read of a big crop of any thing being made without a desire to know how it was done and a determination to improve by the lesson taught by his neighbor.

The discussion of every subject is legitimate. Let us have opinions and facts; but pray indulge in no personalities—call nobody hard names—and never suspect anybody of an improper motive. Let your own intentions be good and you will very rarely have any reason for finding reason to suspect the motives of others.

A FRIEND.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

At a regular meeting of Union Lodge Under Dispensation, held the 1st Aug 1879, the following Preamble and Resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God, in the dispensation of his Providence, to remove from among us our worthy and highly esteemed Brother, Wm. L. Palmer. Be it therefore

Resolved, That by the death of our worthy Brother, Wm. L. Palmer, our Order has been deprived of one of its most zealous, useful and worthy members, and the community in which he lived a good citizen.

Resolved, That we cordially sympathize with the widow and orphans of our deceased Brother and respectfully and affectionately extend to them our sincere and heartfelt condolence.

Resolved, That our Lodge be clothed in mourning for thirty days, as an expression of the respect, esteem and affection which we cherish for the memory of our departed Brother.

Resolved, That as a token of respect for his memory, this Preamble and Resolutions be recorded in our Journal of proceedings, and that a page of our Journal be dedicated to his memory.

Resolved, That this Preamble and Resolutions be published in the "Union Times" and a copy be presented to the family of the deceased.

A. H. STOKES,
J. H. RODGER,
J. M. BUNCH,
Committee.

Signatures per Express at Union, S. C., Aug 8th 1879.

Rice & McCune, J. S. Gregory, Thos. P. Becknell, Miss Kate Lipsey, Mrs. E. S. Bailey, Josephine Jennings, J. N. Sanders, B. F. Bailey, W. H. Wallace, R. W. Shand,
F. H. COUNTS, Agt.

The Fair Forest Union.

THE Fair Forest Union, of the Union County Baptist Association, will meet with the Fairview Church on Friday before the 6th Sunday of this month, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Introductory Sermon, on Friday, by Bro. F. C. Jeter; Doctrinal Sermon, on Saturday, by Bro. C. T. Seave; Missionary Sermon, on Sunday, by Bro. G. S. Anderson.

The following brethren were appointed to write Essays upon subjects of their own choosing viz: M. B. Montgomery, Dr. A. E. Fant, I. G. McKissick, J. C. Humphries and C. B. Bobo.
C. B. BOBO, Sec'y.
Aug 8 32 3t

Mo For The Mountains.

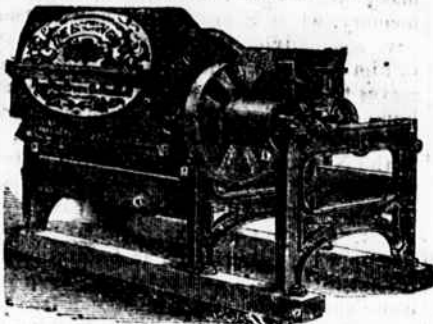
THOSE wishing to avail themselves of the pleasure of visiting the Mountains and viewing the "Land of the Sky," can do so now at the very low rate of \$1.50 for the round trip, from Union to Hendersonville.

This rate will only apply to those going up on Saturday and returning the following Mondays.
F. H. COUNTS, Agt.
August 5th 1879. 32 3t

THE BEST COTTON GIN MADE.

I WOULD respectfully inform the Planters of Union that I am agent for the Best, the Cheapest and Easiest Running Cotton Gin now made. Before purchasing call and examine the Gin I now have at A. D. SPEARS & Co's Store.
A. D. SPEARS.
Aug 8 32 2b.

THE GEORGIA GIN.



LIGHTEST RUNNING,
BEST BUILT,
MOST SIMPLE GIN MADE.

SAVES time, trouble, cotton and money. We offer this well known GIN with our usual confidence. For further particulars, apply to
J. T. HILL & CO., Agts
Aug 8 32

PROCLAMATION.



STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
COLUMBIA, July, 1879.

WHEREAS, information has been received at this Department that an atrocious murder was committed in Union County, on or about the 26th day of May, A. D. 1879, upon the body of John Sanders by John Edwards, alias Murph and that the said John Edwards, alias Murph, has fled from justice:

Now, Therefore, I, W. D. SIMPSON, Governor of the State of South Carolina, in order that justice may be done and the majesty of the law vindicated, do hereby offer a reward of **One Hundred and fifty Dollars (\$150)** for the apprehension and delivery in any jail of this State of the said John Edwards alias Murph.

Said John Edwards, alias Murph, is about 5 feet 6 inches high, blue eyes, dark hair, a small scar over one eye and in one eye a small white spot; weighs about 135 lbs.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, at Columbia, this 18th day of July, A. D. 1879, and in the one hundred and fourth year of the Independence of the United States of America.

W. D. SIMPSON, Governor.

By the Governor:
R. M. Sims, Sec. of State.
Carolina Spartan Copy 3 times.
August 1 31 3t

The State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF UNION, In the Court of Probate.

BY DAVID JOHNSON, Jr., Judge of Probate in Union County.

WHEREAS, James Munro, Clerk of the Court for said County, has made suit to me to grant him letters of administration of the Estate and effects of G. S. NOLAND, deceased.

These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and Creditors of the said G. S. NOLAND, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Union Court House, on the 12th day of September 1879, next after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand, this 31st day of July, Anno Domini 1879.

DAVID JOHNSON JR.,
Judge of Probate.

Aug 1 31 6t

TO FARMERS!

The Macarthy Horse Power.

I HAVE purchased the C. E. Macarthy's Horse Power for this County and will be pleased to sell to any one the right. I can say with a great degree of confidence that it excels any other horse power I have ever used to gin cotton with. Any one who has old gearing run down can attach the Macarthy Horse Power with very little expense. I will state that I can gin as much with three mules with this Power as can be done with four on any of the cogs or trundle heads. The inventor claims a greater power than this.

Mr LEMASTER will be my Agent.

S. M. RICE,
Union C. H., S. C.
July 55 30 1m

ROBERTSON, TAYLOR & CO.,

—SUCCESSORS TO—

GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.,

COTTON FACTORS--WHOLESALE
GROCERS

—AND—

General Commission Merchants,

1 AND 3 HAYNE STREET,

CHARLESTON, S. C.

July 13 29 6m.

FEMALE SEMINARY,

MISS C. M. REID, PRINCIPAL.

THE exercises of this School will be resumed on Monday, Aug. 18th, in the building next to Capt. Farr's residence. The scholastic year will be divided into two sessions of 20 weeks each.

TERMS PER SESSION OF 20 WEEKS:

4th Class.....\$10 00
3d ".....15 00
2d ".....20 00
1st ".....25 00
Music.....15 00
French.....10 00
Instruction in Calisthenics given, free of charge.

Boys under 10 Years of Age
Received.

A discount of 10 per cent. will be made for tuition, to any party sending two pupils.

June 27 26 2m.

The State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF UNION: In the Court of Common Pleas.

John R. Renwick, Plaintiff,
against
Robert B. Lyons as Administrator of the goods, Chattels and credits of James Rogers, deceased, Robert B. Lyons, Nancy H. Rogers, John R. Lyons, Joseph J. Lyons, Ann E. Clark, William E. Lyons, John W. N. Beard, Sallie R. Beard, Mary E. Douglass, James E. Renwick, and A. Q. Clark, Defendants.

To the Defendants above named:

YOU are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, No. 2, Law Range, Union, South Carolina, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated, Union, S. C., 8th July, 1879.

MUNRO & MUNRO,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

JAMES MUNRO,
Clerk of Court.

To the Defendants, John R. Lyons, Joseph J. Lyons, Ann E. Clark, A. Q. Clark, and William E. Lyons:

Take notice that the summons in this action, of which the foregoing is a copy, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, for Union County, at Union Court House, in the State of South Carolina, on the eighth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

Dated, 8th July, 1879.

MUNRO & MUNRO,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

No. 2 Law Range, Union, South Carolina.
July 11 28 6t

The State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF UNION: In the Court of Probate.

John R. Renwick and James E. Renwick, Plaintiffs,

against
Robert B. Lyons, as Administrator of the goods, Chattels and credits of James Rogers, deceased, Nancy H. Rogers, John R. Lyons, Joseph J. Lyons, Ann E. Clark, A. Q. Clark, William E. Lyons, John W. N. Beard, Sallie R. Beard, Mary E. Douglass and Robert B. Lyons, Defendants.

To the Defendants, above named:

YOU are hereby summoned and required to answer the petition in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said petition on the subscribers, at their office, No. 2 Law Range, Union, South Carolina, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said petition within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the petition.

Dated, Union, S. C., 28th June, 1879.

MUNRO & MUNRO,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

DAVID JOHNSON, Jr.,
Judge of Probate.

To the Defendants, John R. Lyons, Joseph J. Lyons, Ann E. Clark, A. Q. Clark and William E. Lyons:

Take notice that the summons in this action, of which the foregoing is a copy, was filed in the office of the Probate Judge for Union County, at Union Court House, in the State of South Carolina, on the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

Dated, 30th June, 1879.

MUNRO & MUNRO,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

No. 2 Law Range, Union, South Carolina.
July 4 27 6t

The State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF UNION: In the Court of Common Pleas.

William Lawson, Plaintiff,
against
Berry Lawson, Sion Lawson, Nancy Fincher, R. M. Fincher, Frances Lawson, Rosal Lawson, Defendants.

To the Defendants, Berry Lawson, Sion Lawson, Nancy Fincher, R. M. Fincher, Frances Lawson and Rosal Lawson:

YOU are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, County of Union, at Union Court House, South Carolina, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, at Union Court House, South Carolina, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Union, S. C., July 2, 1879.

TOWNSEND & STOKES,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

CHARLES BOLT,
Clerk of Court.

To the Defendant, Sion Lawson:

Take notice that the summons in this action, of which the foregoing is a copy, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, for Union County, on the second day of July, 1879.

Union, S. C. July 2, 1879.

TOWNSEND & STOKES,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

July 4 27 6t

DISSOLUTION.

MR. James Munro having been appointed Clerk of the Court, the partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Shann & Munro was by operation of law dissolved July 8, 1879.

Mr. R. W. Shand will continue the practice of law at Union, S. C.

August 1 31 5t

10,000lbs. Dry Hides Wanted,

For which the highest market price will be paid, by
J. H. RODGER.
July 25 20 1t

All for the Citizens of Union County. NEW SPRING & SUMMER GOODS, AT LOW PRICES. J. T. HILL & CO.

ARE receiving a handsome Stock of Spring and Summer goods of all the latest novelties, and they invite their Customers and the public generally to call and inspect them, whether they have any intention of purchasing or not.

THEIR LINE OF DRESS GOODS
IS COMPLETE, CONSISTING OF
A. T. STEWART & CO.'S
DRESS PATTERNS OF
French Organdies,
French Lawns,
India Lawns,
Printed and Striped Piques,
India Silks,
Muslins and Poplins,
Suitsings,
Mummy Cloths, &c.

THEIR STOCK OF
PRINTS, WHITE GOODS AND DOMESTICS
Will compare with those purchased for larger markets. They have a large assortment of
LADIES' HATS
WHICH THEY OFFER AT REMARKABLE LOW PRICES.

THEIR STOCK OF GENT'S CLOTHING
AND FURNISHING GOODS,
never better, in style and quality, or cheaper. They have a fine lot of T. MILES & SONS
LADIES' SHOES.
ALSO, A LARGE LOT OF ALL KINDS OF
BOOTS AND SHOES.

THEIR SUPPLY OF GOODS IN THE FOLLOWING LINES IS LARGE AND VERY CHEAP:
Hardware,
Woodenware,
Crockeryware,
Tinware and Groceries.

AND THEY WOULD CALL SPECIAL ATTENTION TO THEIR STOCK OF
OIL AND VARNISH,
AND SADDLES AND BRIDLES.
All of the above goods were brought here to SELL and we are determined to do it. Give us a chance before purchasing elsewhere and we will convince you that we mean what we say.

April 25 17 J. T. HILL & CO. 1t

The State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF UNION: In the Court of Probate.

James Munro, Clerk of Court of Common Pleas, as Administrator of Margaret Ivy, deceased, Plaintiff,

against
George Ivy, Jeremiah Ivy, John Ivy, Sr., Martha Ivy, (widow of Henry Ivy) John Ivy, Jr., Elizabeth Ivy, (widow of Richard Ivy,) Margaret Bailey, N. & Bailey, Smith Ivy, Elizabeth Jane Morris, William Morris, Christopher Ivy, Ambrose R. Ivy, Mary Ivy, (widow of Robert Ivy,) Elizabeth Ivy, Charles Ivy, Mary Jane Ivy, Franklin Ivy, Beaty Ivy, Angelina Ivy, Martha Ivy, (widow of Wiley Ivy,) William Henry Ivy, Nancy I. Brakefield, James Brakefield, Thaddeus Ivy, Louis Ivy, Margaret Burgess, John Burgess, Sarah Bentley, William Bentley, Mary Ivy, Tobitha Ivy, James Haney and James Ivy, Defendants.

To the Defendants above named:

YOU are hereby summoned and required to answer the petition in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Judge of Probate, for the said County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office, at Union, South Carolina, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the petition within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the petition.

Dated July 24, A. D. 1879.

TOWNSEND & STOKES,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

DAVID JOHNSON, Jr.,
Judge of Probate.

To the Defendants, Jeremiah Ivy, John Ivy, Sr., and James Ivy:

Take notice that the summons herein, of which the foregoing is a copy, was filed in the office of the Judge of Probate for Union County, in the State of South Carolina, on the 24th day of July, 1879.

July 24, 1879.

TOWNSEND & STOKES,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

July 25 30 6t

GINS! GINS!!

THE attention of the planters of Union County is called to the improved "Light draft, Mangle or Gullet" Gin. It is superior to any sold in the market and adds one quarter of a pound to the price of cotton ginned on it.

We also sell the well known Winship Gin, which has given general satisfaction in our County.

We can supply Condensers and Feeders also. Call and examine samples.

F. M. FARR & CO.
July 11 28 1t

WHERE TO BUY YOUR SPRING GOODS.

FOSTER & WILKINS

HAVE just received from New York a Complete Assortment of Goods in each of their various departments, consisting, in part, of

Foreign and Domestic Goods,
DRESS GOODS,
WHITE GOODS,
CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES,
COTTONADES,
FANCY GOODS, &c., &c., &c.

BOOTS AND SHOES
OF ALL GRADES;

Including Ziegler's Hand and Machine Shoes for Ladies, Gents and Children.

LADIES' AND GENT'S HATS
IN GREAT VARIETIES,

A complete and well selected stock of
CLOTHING OF ALL KINDS,
From the best Manufacturers in the Country

Hardware!

Our stock of Hardware is undoubtedly the most complete of any in the upper part of the State, and in it can be found

EVERY TOOL WANTED
—BY THE—
FARMERS AND MECHANICS.

We have bought a large and carefully assorted stock, embracing everything heretofore kept by us, with many new and improved articles never brought to this market before. We purchased FOR CASH, and intend to sell as low as the same qualities of goods can be bought in this or any

NEIGHBORING MARKET.

COME AND TRY US.

We take pleasure in showing our goods, and only ask you to examine them before purchasing elsewhere.

FOSTER & WILKINS.
May 2 18 1t